



# The Hongkong Telegraph.



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SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

## Banks.

### THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £2,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL 500,000.  
Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE, ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:

Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.  
" 6 " 4 " "  
" 3 " 3 " "  
ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 3 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.

APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES of such claims, purchased on advantageous terms.

AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

E. W. RUTTER, Manager, HONGKONG BRANCH.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL £7,500,000.  
RESERVE FUND 4,000,000.  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS—

CHAIRMAN—HON. JOHN BELL-IRVING.  
DEPUTY CHAIRMAN—W. H. FORBES, Esq.  
C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.  
W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq.  
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. L. POSENCKER, Esq.  
J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. N. A. SIKES, Esq.  
B. LAYTON, Esq. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER—G. E. NOBLE, Esq.

MANAGER—SHANGHAI—E. W. CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS—

For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum.  
For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum.  
For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted.

DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

## RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong, Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3; SATURDAYS, 10 to 1.

2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, OR MORE THAN \$50 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per Cent. per annum interest.

4.—INTEREST at the rate of 3 1/2 per Cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.

5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his PASS-BOOK, are necessary.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

## NOTICE.

### HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS

are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this HARBOUR none of the COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand, ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found necessary, communication with the Underigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1888.

## Insurances.

### EXAMPLES OF THE COST OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY.

£1,000 STG. payable at death, would cost at the rate of:—

£6 18 0 per quarter (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life

or £11 4 6 (b) If premiums are limited to 20 years;

or £11 4 6 (c) If premiums are limited to 15 years;

or £13 0 0 (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous.

AFTER being three years in force, each year's payment of premium secures a proportionate part of Sum Assured as explained in Prospectus. For instance: after five years a man Assured under plan d would be entitled to a Free Paid-up Policy for 5/20ths of Sum Assured, viz. £250, should he wish to discontinue future payments.

The same provisions if commenced at age 40, n. b. would cost respectively (a) £8 15 0, (b) £11 5 0, (c) £13 2 4, (d) £27 0 8 per quarter.

Note.—It is an advantage to effect Provisions of this nature early in life. By delay the rate of subscription increases; Death may occur before the Provision is effected, or Health may fail and render the life ineligible for Assurance.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, Agents, Hongkong.

## NOTICE.

### THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED £1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, Hongkong, 1st February, 1889.

## GENERAL NOTICE.

### THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000; £833,333-33-33

EQUAL TO RESERVE FUND £318,000-00-00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS, LEE SING, Esq. LO YUK MOON, Esq. LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER—HO AMEI.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST, Hongkong, 17th December, 1888.

## Notices of Firms.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MR. G. E. NOBLE has been appointed CHIEF MANAGER of the Bank from the 1st January, 1889.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st December, 1888.

## NOTICE.

WE have this day authorized Mr. COLSTON REEVES to sign our Firm.

MORE & SEIMUND.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1889.

## Consignees.

### PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship "CITY OF PEKING."

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-side.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

CHAS. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1889.

## "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "CARDIGANSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 20th instant, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 20th instant, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

### CHS. J. GAUPP & CO.

CHRONOMETER, WATCH, & CLOCK-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVER-SMITHS, AND OPTICIANS.

CHARTS AND BOOKS, NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Sole Agents for Louis Audemars' Watches; awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition; and for Volkmann and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES.

MARINE GLASSES, and SPYGLASSES, No. 9, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1888.

## Intimations.

## KELLY & WALSH, LD.

### SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTES.

Kinney's Straight Cut Cigarettes. Richmond Straight Cut Cigarettes. Cope's Golden Cloud Tobacco. Will's Three Castles Tobacco. Allen and Ginter's Old Rip. "Happy Thought"—Medium Strength. "Dollar Brand"—Full Strength. "Star Mixture"—Mild. Golden Eagle—Medium Strength. Richmond Gem Curly Cut. A very fine assortment of Meerschaum. Briar Root and Asbestos Pipes. Cigar and Cigarette Cases, in Russia, Morocco, and calf.

POWERFUL FIELD GLASSES.

CHEAP RACE GLASSES.

HANDSOMELY MOUNTED OPERA GLASSES.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1889.

## THE HALL & HOLTZ C. CO., LIMITED.

RACING JACKETS & CAPS, RACING SCARVES, RIDING BOOTS & TOPS, RIDING BRETTCHES, SADDLERY, and all STABLE REQUISITES. CHAMPAGNES, WHISKIES, FOR THE RACES.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889.

## LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HAVE A FULL STOCK OF SADDLERY AND STABLESUNDRIES Suitable for the training season. NICHOLLS' BEST RACING SADDLES. Jockey Whips, Light Racing Reins, &c., &c., Black and Brown Pony Harness. Also, Driving Gloves, Knitted Gloves with Leather Fingers, Mufflers, Cardigan Jackets, Carriage Wraps, and Warm Clothing of all kinds suitable for Early Morning Wear at Race Course. Rain Coats, Umbrellas, and Rubber Over-shoes, Riding Boots and Tops. Orders now being taken for Racing Colours.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1889.

## ROBERT LANG & CO.

TAILORS, HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DELIVERY OF WINTER COATINGS, TWEED, AND DRESS SUITING, TROUSERINGS, and ULSTER TWEEDS. A very stylish selection. OUR OUTFITTING STOCK IS ALSO COMPLETE IN SEASONABLE GOODS. QUEEN'S ROAD (Opposite HONGKONG HOTEL).

Hongkong, 14th January, 1889.

## W. BREWER.

Has just received and is showing in his New Store opposite HONGKONG HOTEL.

NEW LADIES' WALKING SHOES, French BOOTS. NEW CHILDREN'S SHOES and BOOTS. NEW LADIES' TENNIS SHOES. NEW MEN'S. MEN'S, CALF and KID SHOES. BOOTS. All very reasonable in price. NEW FRENCH BOOKS.

W. BREWER'S, CHIEF PRINTING OFFICE, HONGKONG HOTEL.

Large consumers of paper should apply for the best prices at this Store, which will be found cheaper than importing it direct.

Hongkong, 12th January, 1889.

## W. POWELL & CO.

EX SS. "SHANNON."

OUR FIRST DELIVERIES OF LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S RAIN COATS and MACINTOSHES. LEGGINGS and GLOVES.

W. POWELL & CO., Victoria Exchange, Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

## A. HAHN, PIANO TUNER AND REPAIRER.

ON HIRE PIANOS FOR SALE.

Address: c/o HONGKONG HOTEL or No. 11, ELGIN STREET, Hongkong, 24th December, 1888.

## Shipping.

### STEAMERS.

### CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

THE Company's Steamship "TAIYUAN,"

Nelson, Commander, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th February, at DAYLIGHT.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the engines. Second Class Passengers are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried on board.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

THE Steamship "TETARTOS,"

Captain Petersen, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 21st instant, at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to AH YON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1889.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI, AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "KHIVA,"

will leave for the above places on SUNDAY, the 24th February, at DAYLIGHT.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "PEKIN,"

will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the next outward English Mails.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

## SAILING VESSELS.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 A. L. I. American Ship "FACTOLUS,"

Burnham, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1888.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship "STATE OF MAINE,"

G. Small, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1888.

FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE A. J. British Bark "JOHN NICHOLSON,"

W. Quine, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd December, 1888.

## Mails.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship "CITY OF PEKING,"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 21st February, at NOON, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued, for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—To San Francisco, \$300.00. To San Francisco and return, \$350.00. available for 6 months. To Liverpool, 325.00. To London, 330.00. To other European Ports, at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per Cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1889.

## CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship "PARTHA,"

3,167 Tons Register, Wallace, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via KOBE and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 7th March, at 3 P.M.

To be followed by the S.S. "ABYSSINIA" on 4th April.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco and Pacific Coast Ports by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and other Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—To Vancouver and Victoria, \$160.00. To San Francisco, 175.00. To all Common Ports in Canada, 230.00. and the United States, 230.00. To Liverpool, 305.00. To London, 305.00. To other European Ports, at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full, value of goods required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Ports beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 6th February, 1889.

## Mails.

### STEAM FOR COLOMBO, SINGAPORE, PENANG, MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON.

ALSO, BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

SPECIE NEW LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "SHANNON," Captain C.R. Edwards, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this Port for LONDON, VIA BOMBAY AND SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th February, at NOON.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day before sailing.

Silk, Valuable for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transshipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo.

For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY











To-day's  
Advertisements.

THE HONGKONG AMATEUR  
ATHLETIC SPORTS.  
TO BE HELD ON  
THE RACE COURSE MEADOW,  
on  
**SATURDAY,**  
the 16th March, 1889.

Held under the Laws of the Amateur Athletic Association, open to all gentlemen amateurs who are Members or visitors of the Hongkong Club, The Club Germania, The Hongkong Cricket Club, The Victoria Recreation Club, The Ladies Recreation Club, and Commissioned Naval and Military Officers.

The following is the list of Events, viz.:-

- 1.—100 YARDS FLAT RACE (Winners at previous meetings at Hongkong or elsewhere penalised 1 1/2 yards)..... 1 prize.
- 2.—PUTTING THE SHOT (16 lbs.) Win-ners at previous meetings at Hongkong or elsewhere penalised 1 foot)..... 1 "
- 3.—120 YARDS FLAT RACE (Handicap)..... 1 "
- 4.—TOSSED THE CANON (Open)..... 1 "
- 5.—HIGH JUMP (Winners at previous meetings at Hongkong or else-where penalised 2 inches for one win and one inch additional for more than one win)..... 1 "
- 6.—MILE FLAT RACE (Ladies Purse) (Winners at previous meetings at Hongkong or elsewhere penalised 10 yards for one win and 5 yards additional for more than one win)..... 2 "
- 7.—THROWING THE CRICKET BALL (Winners at previous meetings penalised 5 yards)..... 1 "
- 8.—EXERCISES ON THE HORSE..... 1 "
- 9.—1 MILE FLAT RACE (Handicap)..... 1 "
- 10.—1 MILE FLAT RACE (Open to N. C. O.'s and Men of Her Majesty's Imperial Services, including Police)..... 3 "
- 11.—120 YARDS HURDLE RACE (Win-ners at previous meetings penalised 5 yards for one win, 2 1/2 yards for each succeeding win)..... 2 "
- 12.—BOYS' RACE, 100 YARDS (Open) (Competitors must be under 10 years of years of age)..... 3 "
- 13.—VETERANS' RACE, 120 YARDS (Open) (Competitors must be 35 years of age or upwards of 10 years residence in India, China, or the Tropics)..... 4 "
- 14.—LONG JUMP (Winners at previous meetings penalised 6 inches)..... 1 "
- 15.—THREE-LEGGED RACE (Post entries)..... 1 "
- 16.—SMALL GIRLS RACE (handicap) (Competitors must be under 7 years old)..... 3 "
- 17.—220 YARDS FLAT RACE (handicap)..... 2 "
- 18.—1 MILE FLAT RACE (winners at previous meetings penalised 100 yards for first win, and 50 yards additional for each suc-ceeding win)..... 2 "
- 19.—CONSOLATION RACE (120 yards)..... 1 "
- 20.—TUG OF WAR (International)..... 1 "
- 21.—BICYCLE RACE (1 mile) Start on Saddle (Post entries)..... 2 "

1.—Entries to close on Friday 8th March.  
2.—Competitors are requested to send in their entries to the Hon. Sec. WELLINGTON BAR-ACKS, as early as possible.

3.—The above order of events may be changed as the Committee think proper.  
4.—Members are requested to send in their Entries for races on forms which are obtainable (on WEDNESDAY, and after) at the CRICKET PAVILION, Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, and Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

GEO. BRAMWELL,  
Lt. 2nd Northamptonshire Regt.  
Hon. Sec.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1889. [225]

**NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.**  
**NOTICE.**

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.  
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)  
The Company's Steamship

"GENERAL WERDER,"  
Captain E. Eichel, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 22nd instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
MELCHERS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1889. [4]

**NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.**  
**NOTICE.**

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.  
The Company's Steamship

"SACHSEN,"  
Captain V. Gaesdel, will leave for the above Ports about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
MELCHERS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1889. [4]

**NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.**  
**NOTICE.**

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN AND HAMBURG.

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS.

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 17th day of March, 1889, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "SACHSEN," Capt. V. Gaesdel, with MAILED PASSENGERS, SPECIE AND CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 1 p.m., on the 16th of March, 1889. (Parcels are not to be sent on board they may be left at the AGENTS' Office).

Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewards.

For further particulars, apply to  
MELCHERS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1889. [4]

To-day's  
Advertisements.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "JAPAN" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 24th instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are hereby informed, that all claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after 24th instant.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 18th February, 1889. [219]

## Amusements.

**THEATRE ROYAL.**  
**CITY HALL, HONGKONG.**

**THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY**  
will Repeat  
GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S OPERETTA  
"IOLANTHE,"

ON  
**SATURDAY,**  
the 23rd February, 1889.

Doors open at 8.30 P.M. Performance to commence at 9 O'CLOCK P.M.

Tickets may be obtained from Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. on MONDAY, 18th instant, at 9 A.M.

Tickets for Back Seats of the Stalls may be had at the Door of the Theatre on the evening of the Performance.—Price, \$1.

R. LYALL,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 11th February, 1889. [190]

**ST. GEORGE'S HALL.**  
**A CONCERT**  
will be given in the above Hall,

ON  
**WEDNESDAY,**  
February 27th, In Aid of

THE HONGKONG BRANCH OF THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' FAMILIES AID ASSOCIATION.

Under the Distinguished Patronage of  
Mrs. GORDON CAMERON,  
Mrs. MAXWELL,  
Mrs. BELL-IRVING,  
&c., &c.

Doors open at.....8.30 P.M.  
To commence at.....9.00 P.M.

Tickets—\$2 each, can be obtained at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LD.  
Hongkong, 13th February, 1889. [199]

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.  
**A BROADWOOD GRAND PIANO**  
\$150, Cash.

Apply to B. C.,  
Office of this Paper.  
Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. [216]

## Intimations.

**HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.**  
**RACE MEETING, 1889.**

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, & FRIDAY,  
the 20th, 21st, and 22nd February.

**RULE 15.**—Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure. For Members of the Jockey Club, Free; for Non-Members \$5 for the Meeting. For Admission to Grand Stand \$3 for the Meeting.

**RULE 16.**—Tickets of Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on application to E. W. RUTTER, Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be shown to the Gate-keeper.

H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong 12th February, 1889. [198]

**HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.**

THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of the Ladies at the Grand Stand and Enclosure during the Races on the 20th, 21st, and 22nd instant.

H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 14th February, 1889. [204]

## BANK HOLIDAYS.

**HONGKONG RACES.**  
THE Undermentioned Banks will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, at NOON, on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, and FRIDAY, the 20th, 21st and 22nd instant.

For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA,  
JOHN THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA,  
T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager, Hongkong.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.

For the COMPTON D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, CHANTREY INCHBALD,  
Agent, Hongkong.

For the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED,  
E. W. RUTTER,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, 15th February, 1889. [212]

**CUSTOM HOUSE.**  
Kowloon, 16th February, 1889.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 20th, 21st, and 22nd instants, being RACE DAYS, this Office will be Opened at 9 A.M. and Closed at NOON, but work at the Optics Examination Hall and the Customs Stations will proceed as usual.

F. A. MORGAN,  
Commissioner of Customs,  
for Kowloon and District.

## STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.	FROM.	DATE DUE.	AGENTS.
Tanadice	Port Darwin	February 18th	Russell & Co.
Benledi	Singapore	February 19th	Gibb, Livingston & Co.
Pekin	London	February 19th	P. & O. S. N. Co.
Electra	Hamburg	February 20th	Siemssen & Co.
Parthia	Vancouver	February 20th	Adamson, Bell & Co.
Arabic	San Francisco	February 21st	O. & O. S. S. Co.
Sachsen	Bremen	February 21st	Melchers & Co.
Wingsang	Calcutta	February 24th	Jardine, Matheson & Co.

## STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

DESTINATION.	VESSELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.
London, &c., via Suez Canal	Shannon	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Feb. 27th, at noon.
London, via Suez Canal	Dardanus	Butterfield & Swire	February 22nd.
Marseilles, via Saigon, &c.	Daedalus	Messageries Maritimes	Feb. 20th, at noon.
San Francisco, via Ythama	City of Peking	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	Feb. 21st, at noon.
San Francisco, via Ythama	Albany	O. & O. S. S. Co.	Mar. 3rd, daylight.
New York	Parthia	Adamson, Bell & Co.	February 26th.
Vancouver, B.C., via A. & C.	Taiyuan	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Mar. 7th, at 4 p.m.
Port Darwin, &c.	Teatros	Ah Yon & Co.	Feb. 20th, daylight.
Singapore and Penang	Benlawers	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Feb. 21st, at 4 p.m.
Calcutta, via Straits	Japan	D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Feb. 22nd, at 4 p.m.
Yokohama, via N'saki, &c.	Khiva	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Feb. 22nd, at noon.
Kobe and Yokohama	Benledi	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	About Feb. 20th.
Shanghai, via Amoy	Prometheus	Butterfield & Swire	February 20th.
Shanghai	Pekin	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Quick despatch.
Shanghai, Kobe, &c.	Yangtze	Siemssen & Co.	To-morrow, at 4 p.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Afrik	Adamson, Bell & Co.	February 26th.
Swatow, Amoy, &c.	P. C. Chom Klao	Yuen Fat Hong	Feb. 20th, at 8 a.m.
	Thales	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Feb. 20th, daylight.

## Intimations.

## INTIMATION.

**F. Blackhead & Co.,**  
**SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAIL-MAKERS,**

AND  
**PROVISION, MERCHANTS,**

AND  
**NAVY CONTRACTORS,**

AND  
**GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS.**

No. 11, Praya Central.  
(Opposite Padder's Wharf).

**SOLE AGENTS**  
for

**RAHTJEN'S**  
**GENUINE**  
**COMPOSITION**

FOR  
**THE BOTTOMS OF IRON SHIPS**  
**CARBOLINEUM AVENARIUS**  
**PRESERVATIVE AGAINST**  
**ROTTING, DECAY, &c., OF WOOD.**

**CHR. MOTZ & Co., BORDEAUX, CLARETS.**  
**IMPERIAL CHAMPAGNE,**  
**LA GRANDE MARQUE.**

**FLENSBURG STOCKBEER,**  
**ENGINEERS AND BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS**  
**AND EVERY KIND OF SHIP'S**  
**STORES AND REQUISITES**  
**ALWAYS IN STOCK**

**AT**  
**REASONABLE PRICES.**  
**ALL KINDS OF**  
**COALS**  
**SUPPLIED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE.**  
Hongkong, 14th January, 1889. [82]

**FOR SALE.**  
**AT WHOLESALE PRICES.**

**SACCONES' SHERRY, PORT, CLARETS,**  
**BURGUNDY, HOCKS, CHAMPAGNES,**  
**BRANDIES, WHISKIES,**  
**"EMPIRE" ALE AND STOUT,**  
**MACHINERY, GAS ENGINES, "EMPIRE"**  
**LUBRICATORS,**  
**SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES,**  
**COOKING STOVES, SCALES,**  
**PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISH,**  
**BICYCLES AND TRICYCLES,**  
**JUVENILE VELOCIPEDS, HORSES AND**  
**TRICYCLES,**  
**BICYCLE WHEELS FOR JINRICKSHAS,**  
**SODA WATER MACHINERY,**  
**JEY'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS.**

Apply to  
W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,  
Bank Buildings.  
Hongkong, 29th September, 1888. [11]

**A. G. GORDON & CO.**  
**ENGINEERS, LAUNCH BUILDERS,**  
**GENERAL AND GOVERNMENT**  
**CONTRACTORS, IRONMONGERS, COM-**  
**MISSION AGENTS, VALUATORS, IRON**  
**AND TIMBER MERCHANTS.**

**WORKS:**  
**BOWRINGTON, EAST POINT.**  
**OFFICE:**  
**CORNER OF PADDER STREET AND PRAYA.**

**STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED,**  
Hongkong, 3rd September, 1888. [42]

**G. FALCONER & CO.**  
**WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANU-**  
**FACTURERS AND JEWELLERS,**  
**NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,**  
**CHARTS AND BOOKS.**  
No. 48, Queen's Road Central. [604]

**HONGKONG TIMBER**  
**YARD WANCHAI.**

**OREGON PINE SPARS AND LUMBER**  
Always on Hand.  
L. MALLORY.  
Hongkong, 24th June, 1888. [63]

## Intimations.

THE SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING CO.,  
LIMITED.

THE STATUTORY GENERAL MEETING  
of this Company will be held at the  
HONGKONG HOTEL TO-MORROW, the 19th  
instant, at 12.30 p.m.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, 4th February, 1889. [171]

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY  
MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the  
Company will be held at the Company's  
Office, No. 5, Queen's Road, Victoria, at THREE  
O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON, of TO-MORROW,  
the 19th February, 1889, for the purpose of  
receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the  
Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st  
December, 1888.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 6th Proximo to the  
19th Proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order,  
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. [139]

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF  
SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-  
pany will be held at the Company's Office, No.  
5, Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3.15 O'CLOCK P.M.,  
of TO-MORROW, the 19th day of February, 1889,  
when the subjoined Resolution will be proposed.

**RESOLUTION.**  
That Article No. 9 of the Articles of Association  
be altered by eliminating therefrom the  
words "One Hundred Thousand" and  
substituting therefor the words "One  
Hundred and Fifty Thousand."

By Order,  
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 28th January, 1889. [140]

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING**  
**CORPORATION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the  
ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF  
the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will  
be held CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY,  
the 23rd day of February next, at 12 O'CLOCK  
NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report  
of the Court of Directors together with a State-  
ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1888.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. [130]

**HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING**  
**CORPORATION.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the  
REGISTERS OF SHARES of the  
Corporation will be CLOSED on SATURDAY,  
the 9th, to SATURDAY, the 23rd February  
next (both days inclusive) during which period  
no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 24th January, 1889. [131]

**THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY, LIMITED.**

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTIETH ORDINARY  
ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE-  
HOLDERS in the above Company will be held  
at the Offices of the Company, Padder's Street,  
on MONDAY, the 25th February instant, at  
12 O'CLOCK (NOON) to receive a Statement of  
Accounts to the 31st December, 1888, the Report  
of the General Managers, and to elect a Consult-  
ing Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 25th day  
of February instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers,  
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited.  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1889. [159]

**HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK**  
**COMPANY, LIMITED.**

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING  
of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the  
Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central,  
on MONDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 P.M., for  
the purpose of receiving the Report of the  
Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st  
December, 1888.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th  
instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 8th February, 1889. [184]

**THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA**  
**SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY,**  
**LIMITED.**

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-  
ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING  
of the PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN  
MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the  
Registered Office of the Company No. 9, Queen's  
Road, Central, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the  
25th day of February, 1889, at 4 O'CLOCK in  
the AFTERNOON, when the subjoined resolution  
will be proposed.

That the resolution be passed by the required  
majority it will be submitted for confirmation  
a special resolution to a Second Extraordinary  
Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

**RESOLUTION.**  
That the Capital of the Company be increased  
to the sum of \$600,000 legally current in  
the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of  
20,000 New Shares of \$10 each. Subject  
to any direction to the contrary that may  
be given by the Meeting sanctioning the  
increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be  
offered to the Members in proportion to the  
existing Shares held by them, and such offer  
shall be made by notice specifying the  
number of Shares to which the Member is  
entitled and limiting a time within which  
the offer if not accepted will be deemed to  
be declined, and after the expiration of such  
time or on the receipt of an intimation from  
the Member to whom notice is such given  
that he declines to accept the Shares offered,  
such Shares shall be dealt with by the  
Directors in the manner they think fit.

Dated the 14th day of February, 1889.  
A. O. GORDON,  
Secretary.

## Intimations.

## NOTICE.

LAWRENCE & MAYO'S PERFECT PEBBLES.



Are clear, cool, & preserving to the Sight.

MR. LAWRENCE is now in Hongkong  
and may be consulted at the  
**VICTORIA HOTEL**  
FOR 14 DAYS ONLY (till the 26th instant).

Mr. LAWRENCE'S Pamphlet "Ignorance the  
cause of numerous Eye Diseases" free on  
application.

LAWRENCE & MAYO,  
OPHTHALMIC OPTICIANS,  
London, Calcutta and Bombay.  
Hongkong, 11th February, 1889. [191]

**HONGKONG AND CHINA BAKERY**  
**COMPANY, LIMITED.**

THE SEVENTEENTH ORDINARY  
GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHARE-  
HOLDERS of the Company will be held on  
MONDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 O'CLOCK P.M.,  
at the Company's Office.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, 11th February, 1889. [193]

**NOTICE.**